

# Wolf Pack WARRIOR

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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Post Office closure

The Post Office will be closed May 29-31. All letters and parcel mail taken to the Post Office by 5 p.m. May 28 will be delivered that evening to Seoul. The Post Office will reopen June 1 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and resume normal operating hours June 2. For more information, call 782-4662.

### Sing like Hootie contest

A backstage pass to the Hootie and the Blowfish concert and dinner with the band will be awarded to the winner of the "Sing Like Hootie" Karaoke Contest today at 10 p.m. in the Falcon Community Center. See Hootie and the Blowfish live May 17 at 7 p.m. in Hangar 3.

### "Kunsan Idol" contest

The 8th Services Squadron is sponsoring a "Kunsan Idol" contest Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Falcon Community Center. The winner will receive a round trip airline ticket home. For more information, call 782-4619 or e-mail [8svs.communitycenter@kunsan.af.mil](mailto:8svs.communitycenter@kunsan.af.mil).

### Kunsan driving privileges

E-6s and below are no longer allowed to keep a privately owned vehicle license unless they meet specific requirements and are supported by their commander, according to a recent policy by 7th Air Force and USFK. According to the policy, this applies to POVs, rental cars, and any other non-government vehicle. Personnel with a GOV driving permit may continue to drive GOVs on and off base if annotated. For more information, contact your first sergeant.

### Buddy wingman program

Due to current conditions within the peninsula, the buddy wingman policy is in effect any time a base member leaves the base no matter what time of day and for any reason. Please refer to USFK Fragmentary Order #04-11 for further details.

### Eubank team arrives

There will be a Eubank Team Icebreaker at the Loring Club tonight at 7 p.m., which is open to everyone. The team arrived Thursday and will evaluate the 8th Services Squadron through Wednesday for its possible selection as the best Air Force services squadron at a small base.



Photo by Navy Petty Officer 1st Class William Lewis

**HOOTIE!** The rock group Hootie and the Blowfish perform a United Services Organization sponsored concert for the crew members of the USS Enterprise (CVN 65) Dec. 5, 1998. Hootie and the Blowfish will be performing live Monday at 7 p.m. in Hangar 3.

## Hootie, AF bands, Patriots cheerleaders rock Kunsan

By Capt. Krista Carlos  
8th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

The world champion New England Patriots cheerleaders, platinum-selling artists Hootie and the Blowfish, and the Pacific Air Forces Band-Asia and the Band of the Air Force Reserve will perform for the Wolf Pack Monday at 7 p.m. in Hangar 3.

Operation Pacific Greetings is the name of the rock and roll tour sponsored by PACAF and the AFRC and will be performing at Misawa Air Base, Japan; Kadena AB, Japan; Kunsan AB, South Korea; Yokota AB, Japan; and Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii throughout the month of May.

"We hope to remind the troops of home," said Tracy Sormanti, coach of the Patriots Cheerleading squad. There's no better way to show our support to the servicemen and women for their efforts and sacrifices than to

tell them in person."

The Air Force bands will be the opening acts for the show, and will play a variety of pop, rock and other well-known favorites.

"The OPG tour is exactly what the chief of staff of the Air Force prioritizes for Air Force bands," said Mr. Dave Ballengee, deputy director of the Band of the Air Force Reserve, Robins AFB, Ga. "We're going to forward and deployed locations for the morale of the troops and their families."

The tour will cover about 15,440 miles during the trip. The performers, technicians, support troops and about 40,000 pounds of equipment will get a lift from a C-17 Globemaster III cargo aircraft and a KC-10

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— Tracy Sormanti  
Patriots cheerleading squad coach

Extender refueling and cargo aircraft, and will arrive here Sunday and spend the next day touring the base and getting acquainted with the Wolf Pack mission before performing for the troops.

"We're honored to bring a little taste of home to our troops,

and we're excited to get out among them and hang for a while," said Darius Rucker, lead singer of Hootie and the Blowfish. "We're looking forward to sharing our music with everyone out there."

So for all those Wolf Pack members who want to see a rockin' show on Monday, "Hootie" would like to remind all the bases they're visiting to "get ready for a party."



## 35th FS hosts “Buddy Wing” program

By Capt. Krista Carlos  
8th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

Three Republic of Korea air force pilots and two KF-16s from the 19th Tactical Fighter Wing at Joongwon Air Base arrived Tuesday to train with the 35th Fighter Squadron as part of the Buddy Wing program.

The exchange program, initiated by 7th Air Force four years ago, is just one example of how the U.S. and Republic of Korea forces work together to train and hone their combat skills.

“The purpose is for the U.S. Air Force and ROKAF to immerse themselves into the host squadron in the attempt to better understand their operations and contributions to the ‘fight,’” said

Capt. Ron Sloma, 35th FS assistant director of operations. “We have set up a couple of briefs and discussion forums to share knowledge on the way the U.S. Air Force accomplishes segments of the fight.”

According to Captain Sloma, the pilots will fly twice during the program, two Americans with two Koreans, concentrating on a mixture of air-to-air and air-to-ground training.

“The end result should start to help bridge the language and cultural gap that we and the ROKAF often find difficult to understand and operate effectively during exercises,” he said.

“This is the first time I’ve worked with the U.S.,” said Capt. Oh, Choongwon, ROKAF pilot. “I think that the buddy wing training is

important to learn from each other and understand. It helps us learn and see the U.S.’s fighting skills and strategies.

In addition to the operational aspects of the Buddy Wing program, there are also several social events planned for the ROKAF members, to include bowling and other activities.”

“We are including them in typical squadron functions to help them feel a part of the Pantons,” Captain Sloma said. “This immersion should hopefully improve communication and understanding between us, as well as provide an environment to make new friends. We are all on the same team, so hopefully this will show our allies our commitment to their country and our friendship.”



Photo by Staff Sgt. Michael Holzworth

Captain Ron Sloma (back), 35th Fighter Squadron, plans for a mission with Capt Oh, Chansung (front), 19th Tactical Fighter Wing, during the Buddy Wing exchange program Tuesday. Three pilots and two KF-16s from Joongwon Air Base visited Kunsan to participate in the program hosted by the 35th FS. The purpose of the program is for the U.S. and Republic of Korea air forces to work together to train and hone their combat skills.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Keri Scroble

**REMEMBRANCE:** Staff Sgt. Naomi Dean, 8th Security Forces Squadron, with her dog Denny, bows her head in respect during the memorial service given in honor of Military Working Dog Butler May 7. Butler was one of the explosive detector dogs here. Born in November, 1999, he was procured on a European buy trip, then trained in explosives and patrol work at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Butler graduated training in November, 2002. He was assigned to the 8th SFS in April 2002, and died from “toxic shock” which came as a result of complications following surgery.

## Desert ice just as nice for deployed Airman

By Senior Airman Matthew Bates  
380th Air Expeditionary Wing Public Affairs

**SOUTHWEST ASIA** — For the average Airman, the last thing on his or her mind when deploying to the desert is ice hockey. Not so for Senior Master Sgt. Daniel Morin.

As soon as he heard he was being sent to a forward-deployed location as the 380th Expeditionary Maintenance Operations Squadron’s quality assurance superintendent, he began searching the Internet to do some research on hockey in the area.

He discovered there were several hockey teams around the base. On an impulse, he packed his skates, gloves and helmet alongside his military gear.

“It was a long shot without a doubt,” he said. “And a lot of people thought I was crazy when they found out I was bringing hockey gear to the desert.”

The impulse paid off, though, and within two weeks of him first stepping off the plane, Sergeant Morin was lacing up his skates and heading out onto the ice with a local hockey team. The team’s players, made up of Canadians and one host-nation citizen, said they were impressed with his abilities and asked him to join their league and play with them a few times a week.

“We would practice once a week and play the national team once a week as well,” Sergeant Morin said. “We would hold our own against the national team until a few ex-pro players were brought in. Of course we couldn’t touch them after that.

“Even though I was hoping to be able to come

over here and play, I never really thought it would happen,” he said.

The team even asked him to join them in an international tournament they would be playing in locally. He spoke to his chain of command, got the authorization he needed and was added to the team’s roster for the tournament.

The tournament consisted of 18 teams from around the region and Europe. Sergeant Morin’s team ended up placing third in their division, with him contributing five goals and six assists.

Sergeant Morin also volunteered to be a referee for matches his team was not playing in.

“I think I refereed close to eight or nine games a day plus the ones I played in. ... By the last day, I could hardly move” he said.

Being immersed in hockey is nothing new for Sergeant Morin. At his previous station in Elmendorf Air Force Base, Alaska, he was president of the Elmendorf Eagles Hockey Association, which consisted of six active-duty teams. He also established the annual Alaskan armed forces hockey tournament in 1997. At his current home station at Offutt AFB, Neb., he plays defense on the Offutt Marauders “A” hockey team and also plays for a hockey league locally.

“Since age 5, I have played in many different states and countries, but this is by far the craziest thing I’ve experienced,” Sergeant Morin said.

While hockey is one of the loves in his life, Sergeant Morin still puts the mission first — a fact that does not go unnoticed by his co-workers in the



Photo by Senior Airman Matthew Bates

Senior Master Sgt. Daniel Morin, in the white jersey, takes a shot on goal during one of his team’s ice hockey tournament games. He had to borrow a teammate’s jersey to be able to play, thus the different name on his back. He is the 380th Expeditionary Maintenance Operations Squadron’s quality assurance superintendent at a forward-deployed location.

squadron and the 380th Expeditionary Maintenance Group.

“As much preparation and initiative as he put into being able to play hockey here, he puts double that into performing his job on a day-to-day basis,” said Chief Master Sgt. Brian Riddle with the 380th EMG.

Sergeant Morin said he is happy for the opportunity and feels it is an experience he will remember for the rest of his life.

“I’ll be talking about this for quite awhile,” he said.



# Articles 15 for the month of April

By Staff Sergeant Michelle Trujillo  
8th Fighter Wing Legal Office

Sixteen members of the Wolf Pack received punishment under Article 15 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice during the month of April.

A staff sergeant from the 8th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron received Article 15 punishment for violation of a general order and conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Articles 92 and 134, UCMJ. The staff sergeant failed to obey a lawful general regulation not to consume alcohol during an exercise and wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of senior airman, forfeiture of \$300 pay for two months, restriction to base for 15 days and 30 days extra duty.

A senior airman from the 8th AMXS received Article 15 punishment for drunkenness, incapacitation for performance of duties through prior wrongful indulgence in intoxicating liquor, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. His commander imposed punishment consisting of a suspended reduction to the rank of airman first class, forfeiture of \$50 pay for two months, 45 days extra duty and a reprimand.

A staff sergeant from the 8th AMXS received Article 15 punishment for failure to obey a regulation, a violation of Articles 92, UCMJ. The staff sergeant failed to obey 8 FWI 13-202, by driving a government vehicle on the flightline without a certified AF Form 483. His commander imposed punishment consisting of a suspended reduction to the rank of senior airman, forfeiture of \$100 pay for two months and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th Communications Squadron received Article 15 punishment for drunk and disorderly conduct, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. His commander imposed punishment consisting of a suspended reduction to the rank of airman first class and a reprimand.

An airman first class from the 8th Logistics Readiness Squadron received Article 15 punishment for failure to go, a violation of Article 86, UCMJ. The airman first class failed to go at the time prescribed to his appointed place of duty. His commander imposed punishment consisting of a suspended reduction to the rank of airman, restriction from the limits of A-town for 38 days, restriction from all base squadron lounges for 38 days, with the exception of attending official functions at the 8th LRS lounge, 7 days extra duty and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th Medical Operations Squadron received Article 15 punishment for larceny, a violation of Article 121, UCMJ. The senior airman stole merchandise of a value of \$606.59 from the Kadena Army and Air Force Base Exchange Service. Her commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman, suspended reduction to the rank of airman basic, and 30 days extra duty.

A senior airman from the 8th Security Forces Squadron received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The senior airman wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman first class, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty, and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for failure to obey a lawful general regulation and conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Articles 92 and 134, UCMJ. The senior airman wrongfully consumed alcohol during an exercise and inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman first class, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty and a reprimand.



An airman first class from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The senior airman wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The senior airman wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. Her commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman first class, forfeiture of \$369 pay, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces and disorderly conduct, a violation of Articles 134, UCMJ. The senior airman wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman first class, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty and a reprimand.

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An airman first class from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The airman first class wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. Her commander imposed punishment consisting of a suspended reduction to the rank of airman, forfeiture of \$312 pay, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The senior airman wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of airman first class and a reprimand.

A staff sergeant from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The staff sergeant wrongfully inhaled an aerosol product with the intent to become intoxicated. His commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the rank of senior airman, forfeiture of \$423 pay, restriction to base for 14 days, 14 days extra duty and a reprimand.



## May 3:

**Informational** — An 8th Security Forces member radioed the 8th Security Forces control center and relayed that there were four fishing boats outside the perimeter fence near Little Coyote. Patrolmen were briefed and dispatched. OSI was notified and dispatched Korean National Police to disperse the boats.

## May 4:

**Nothing to report.**

## May 5:

**Loud noise complaint** — A senior airman telephoned the SFCC and said there was loud noise coming from the first floor of dorm 614. Patrolmen arrived and made contact with the people and informed them about the 24-hour noise discipline.

**911 response** — A senior airman telephoned the SFCC and reported an Army private first class was complaining of severe abdominal pains. A patrolman was briefed and dispatched. The private first class was transported to the hospital and treated.

## May 6:

**Nothing to report.**

## May 7:

**Assault/Drunk and Disorderly** — An 8th SFS member radioed the SFCC and reported there had been an altercation aboard his bus in A-Town and requested a patrol be dispatched to assist. Patrolmen were briefed and dispatched. The victim was transported to the base clinic. The subject was advised of his rights. Subject was willing to make a statement but felt unable to do so at the time. Subject was instructed to report to the SFCC at 11 a.m. the following day to accomplish a written statement.

**Loud noise complaint** — An anonymous caller telephoned the SFCC and reported loud noise coming from the third floor of building 1418. A patrolman was briefed and dispatched. The patrolman made contact with a staff sergeant who was briefed on the 24-hour noise discipline.

## May 8:

**Nothing to report.**

## May 9:

**Nothing to report.**

Courtesy of the  
8th Security Forces Squadron

Leadership: with a slightly different twist

By Col. Rick Jones  
8th Maintenance Squadron commander

Well, a fairly standard topic to write about is leadership. I'm going to do that, but with a slightly different twist.

I want to talk to you about what I consider an invaluable part of leadership at all levels — persistence.

As you know, there are many important aspects of leadership we often talk about: integrity; setting the example; hard work; selflessness; taking charge; being out front; loyalty; and toughness. The list goes on and on. And those are all very important attributes.

But I want to talk to you about one of my personal favorites — persistence. Persistence means you keep digging until you get the results you desire. Or, in my North Carolina way of saying it, just “Get ‘er Done.”

Webster defines persistent as “to go on resolutely or stubbornly in spite of opposition, importunity, or warning.” In other words, to never give up — to declare, “I will until.”

Living our core values of Integrity First, Service before Self and Excellence in all we do each and every day. That is persistence.

Where does the attribute of persistence stem from and why is it important to you?

It stems from believing with a passion in the mission. It comes from wanting to keep our homeland, families, and Allies free and safe from harm. It comes from believing with a passion that what you are doing is a vital part of the mission. It

comes from believing with a passion that you, individually, can make a difference in the ultimate success of the mission. Persistence means to do the right thing time after time, no matter what — because you believe in it and it's the right thing to do.

I think President Calvin Coolidge said it best. He said, “Nothing in the world can take the place of persistence. Talent will not; nothing is more common than unsuccessful men with talent. Genius will not; unrewarded genius is almost a proverb. Education will not; the world is full of educated derelicts. Persistence and determination are omnipotent. The slogan ‘press on’ has solved and always will solve the problems of the human race. No person was ever honored for what he received. Honor has been the reward for what he gave.”

As you hopefully know, the Wolf has offered a challenge to us. His challenge is to “finish strong!” Well how do you do that?

The answer, you persist. You keep doing the same great things you have been doing to make the Wolf Pack better. And, I've seen a lot of evidence of team Wolf Pack doing just that. So persist, keep making a difference. And when you finally leave here, you will know you made it better — that you left your mark.

I'd like to close by sharing one of my favorite stories about persistence. It is a true story and I think it sums up my message pretty well. It is a story about Winston Churchill — one of the most famous ally leaders in history.

Winston Churchill was addressing the

graduating class at Cambridge and he was getting on in years. As you might guess, the place was packed. All excited to see this hero of the times; this incredible orator; this incredible leader; to be moved by his many inspiring words.

As the emcee introduced Mr. Churchill, the crowd erupted in applause. Mr. Churchill slowly walked to the podium as the crowd roared, helping himself along with his cane and wearing his familiar top hat. As he arrived at the podium, he slowly removed his top hat and placed it on the podium.

Then, he carefully hung his cane on the side of the podium. He then made a motion for the crowd to be seated. They did and a hush fell over the crowd. You could hear a pin drop.

He then looked at the graduating class and motioned for them to stand — and they did in silence. As he stared into the depths of their souls, he said in his own distinct voice, “Never, give up!”

He continued to stare at each of them. And after 30 seconds, he again said, “Never, give up!” He then was silent for a minute and a half. After the silence, he looked at each and every one of them and said, “Never, give up!”

At that time he put on his top hat, grabbed his cane and returned to his seat, not saying another word. His shortest speech ever, yet perhaps his most powerful.

So my message to you is keep up the incredible work you have been doing, thanks for making your Air Force and your country so very proud of you, and finally, never, never, never give up!

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Be a wingman the right way

By Master Sgt. Randy Phelps  
8th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

Wingman. The first time I heard of this term other than in the aviation realm was when I was stationed at Osan back in 1995. At the time, then Brig. Gen. Robert Foglesong, 51st Fighter Wing commander, instituted the policy for Osan Airmen to try and prevent a lot of accidents and situations that wouldn't have happened had someone responsible intervened.

Obviously, the program caught on over the years and now it's peninsula wide. Trouble is, I don't think some people understand how important the program is until it's too late.

There are two main reasons for having the wingman program: Force protection and individual protection.

With terrorism on the rise and Americans becoming potential targets, it's always important to have a wingman every time you leave the gate. Yes, we're all big boys and girls and think we don't need supervision, but it's always better to travel in a group than alone. Traveling in a group is a force multiplier and that will give us added protection against any threat, should there be one.

But I think the most important reason to have a wingman is right here on base or in A-town. And, I'm not talking about a buddy who's been partying all night right by our side. I'm talking about someone to hold the car keys. Someone to grab our arm and say, “that's enough.” Someone to guide us back to the dormitory room and make sure we stay there.

What good is a wingman, who's not in a sober and responsible state of mind? If both people are having a good time, and an ugly situation arises, who's going to make a responsible

decision that could save a career?

Yeah, it's all fun and games until that situation pops up. And it does almost every weekend. I've seen it on several occasions already.

I just pulled town patrol last weekend and an incident happened which could have been avoided with a couple of responsible wingmen hanging around. But since no one jumped in to stop the incident, at least one person is going to feel some serious repercussions.

Look in the WPW each month for a listing of people getting Articles 15. Chances are that some of the names will be people we know. Ask them if it was worth a “night on the town.”

Do you know what an Article 15 does to your career? I do. Over the years, I've seen it take down good people for a momentary lapse of reason. If it doesn't end a career, it will surely set one back several years while attempting to progress in rank. Something made us want to become a member of the world's greatest Air Force, why would someone want to throw it all away because they got carried away and stuck their craniums into a couple of ammo bowls?

I'm not a legal expert, or even a novice for that matter, but I do know that most of the trouble people get into here is because of alcohol. Get a “sober cab” as my daughters call the designated driver for the night. Make a sacrifice and be responsible for one night for your buddies. Then, the next week, take turns.

We've got to have some fun while at the “Kun,” but without a responsible wingman to protect us, fun can turn into disaster.

Defend the base  
Accept follow-on forces  
Take the fight North

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**MONTHLY SORTIE GOALS**

Unit	Goal	Flown
35th FS	375	90
80th FS	321	85
8th FW	696	175

**Community standard**

**Buddy Wing Program**

Due to current conditions throughout the peninsula, the buddy wingman policy is in full effect outside the installation until further notice.





Photo by Staff Sgt. Michael Holzworth

8th Security Forces Squadron defenders practice deployment tactics from an armored personnel carrier Monday near the 8th SFS training building.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Michael Holzworth

An 8th SFS defender team trains on military operations in urban terrain tactics Monday.

## Defender Days tests security force's abilities

By 1st Lt. Ryan Dill  
8th Security Forces Squadron

Another round of Defender Days has come and gone for members of the 8th Security Forces Squadron. Defender Days is a training period, which tests many different missions and a full spectrum of responses.

The Defender Days are held, in addition to quarterly base exercises, to help maintain proficiency because of the large amount of turnover the squadron experiences, said Capt. Rusty Hunt, 8th SFS operations officer.

During the recent session, security forces members practiced battle drills and military operations in urban terrain, or MOUT. Battle drills include individual and team tactics and involve high and low crawling, ambushes and team movements, all geared towards activities in an open fighting environment. MOUT training consists of practicing tactics used to clear buildings in an urban environment.

Other areas of training included certifying

all members in the squadron in the use of CPR, verbal judo as an alternative to physical contact, and techniques of using a collapsible baton.

Verbal judo is taught to be a disarming tactic used to diffuse a situation at its lowest level, without having to use force, said Captain Hunt. The collapsible baton is a more advanced level of force used in dealing with adversaries.

"With the (collapsible baton), defenders are able to use a device much less lethal than their firearm," said Staff Sgt. Bill Gaskins, 8th SFS. "A firearm will cause permanent damage to a suspect, while the collapsible baton would cause temporary damage, like bruising."

Finally, to give the members a better look at the big picture of their mission, a scavenger hunt was held. The hunt provided members of the different flights, and administrative troops, the chance to work with each other as teams outside the office environment, as well as, providing a base-wide orientation.



## Today

**Free food night** The Loring Club offers a pasta buffet 6 to 9 p.m. for club members.

**Howlin' Bowl** The Yellow Sea Bowling Center offers Howlin' Bowl starting at 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$11 per person or \$50 per lane.

**Karaoke** The Falcon Community Center offers karaoke 8 p.m. to midnight.

**Gunsan City walking tour** The family support center offers a walking tour of Gunsan City 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Participants should bring enough won for purchases, lunch and bus fare. To register, or for more information, call 782-5644.

**Movie** The base theater shows "Home on the Range," rated PG, at 7 and 9:30 p.m.

## Saturday

**Movie** The base theater shows "Home on the Range," rated PG, at 7 and 9:30 p.m.

**Country night** The Loring Club hosts country night in the ballroom.

**Prime Rib** The Loring Club has a prime rib special — a 16-ounce "Wolf" cut for \$15.95 and a 12-ounce "Kun" cut for \$13.95 served from 6-9 p.m.

**E-Mart trip** The Falcon Community Center hosts a shopping trip to E-Mart in Gunsan City. Busses depart the base at 10 a.m., noon, 2 and 4 p.m. Busses return to base at 1, 3 and 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$2. For more information, call 782-4619.

## Sunday

**Bingo** The Loring Club offers bingo at 2 p.m.

**Brunch Extravaganza** The Loring Club offers entree and side dishes for Sunday brunch 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. The price is \$12.95 per person. Club members receive a \$2 members first discount.

**Movie** The base theater shows "Home on the Range," rated PG, at 6 and 8:30 p.m.

**Dart tourney** The Loring Club has a dart tournament at 7 p.m.

**Spades** The Falcon Community Center has a spades tournament at 2 p.m.

**E-Mart trip** The Falcon Community Center hosts a shopping tour to E-Mart in Gunsan City. The busses depart the base at 10 a.m., noon, 2 and 4 p.m. Busses return to base at 1, 3 and 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$2.

## Monday

**Free bowling for airman - senior airman** The Yellow Sea Bowling Center offers three free games for airmen at 6:30 p.m., and \$1 bowling for everyone else.

**Mexican Fiesta** The Loring Club offers a Mexican fiesta lunch buffet from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The cost is \$6.95 with a discount for club members.

**Movie madness** The Falcon Community Center offers a double feature movie madness at 6 p.m.

**Pool Tournament** The Loring Club has a 9-ball pool tournament at 7 p.m.

## Tuesday

**Movie** The base theater shows "Secret Window," rated PG-13, at 8 p.m.

**\$2 Kun burger** The Loring Club offers \$2 Kun burgers from 6-8 p.m.

**Sumo wrestling** The Loring Club offers Sumo wrestling at 7 p.m.


**Straight Pool** The Falcon Community Center has a straight pool 31-point tournament at 7 p.m.

**Lunch buffet** The Loring Club offers an Oriental buffet from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for \$6.95 with a discount for club members.

**Ladies' Night bowling** The Yellow Sea Bowling Center offers free bowling for ladies, all night, starting at 6 p.m.

### OF THE PRIDE PACK

**Squadron:** 8th Services Squadron  
**Duties:** Food service apprentice  
**Hometown:** Rapid City, S.D.  
**Follow-on:** RAF Lakenheath, England  
**Hobbies:** Hunting, fishing and building aircraft models  
**Favorite music:** Rock  
**Last good movie you saw:** "Run Down"  
**Best thing you've done at Kunsan:** Participating in honor guard



**Airman 1st Class Nicholas Smith**

*"Outside of his normal work shifts at the O'Malley Dining Facility, Airman Smith has volunteered his off-duty time with monthly birthday meals, the first Valentine's Day dinner that served more than 300, and helped implement new customer drive initiatives to include weekly ethnic meals and new snack line items. He is a member of the Kunsan Air Base Honor Guard, innkeeper at the base chapel's Sonlight Inn and an 8th Security Forces Squadron augmentee. He eagerly demonstrated his knowledge of mortuary processing and was an instrumental contributor to the 8th SVS winning the 2004 PACAF Eugene L. Eubanks Award nomination. His outstanding attitude, work ethic, dress and appearance, and professionalism ensured his nomination for the Air Force Sergeant's Association's first-term airman of the year 2003 and selection as 8th SVS airman of the quarter for first quarter 2004. Airman Smith epitomizes and is truly deserving of the 'Pride of the Pack.'"*

**Staff Sgt. Candy Williams**  
8th Services Squadron O'Malley Dining Facility shift leader

## Wednesday

**Movie** The base theater shows "Spartan," rated R, at 8 p.m.

**Korean cooking class** The family support center offers a Korean cooking class 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Sonlight Inn. This weeks menu includes Teok bbo kki (spicy seasoned rice cake) and "Ubachobap." To register, or for more information, call 782-5644 or 782-5627.

**Return and Reunion** The family support center offers a return and reunion briefing for those about to leave Kunsan every Wednesday, 3:30 to 4 p.m. at the Sonlight Inn. For more information, call 782-5644.

**Pool tournament** The Loring Club offers an 8-ball pool tournament at 7 p.m.

**Free food** The Loring Club offers club members a soup bar 6 to 8 p.m.

## Thursday

**Lunch buffet** The Loring Club offers an Italian buffet from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for \$6.95 with a discount for club members.

**8-ball pool** The Falcon Community Center has an 8-ball pool tournament at 7 p.m.

**Korean orphanage** Wolf Pack members interested in volunteering at the local Kae Chong Orphanage should meet in the military personnel flight parking lot Thursdays at 6:15 p.m. Transportation is provided. For more information, call Master Sgt. Bob Gardner at 782-4794.

**Movie** The base theater shows "Dirty Dancing: Havana," rated PG-13, at 8 p.m.

*To submit events for 7-Days, send an e-mail to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil. Submissions must include time, date, place, and phone number.*

## Chapel

### Latter-Day Saint

Services are Sundays at 3:30 p.m. at the chapel.

### Catholic services

Mass is Saturdays at 5:30 p.m., Sundays at 9 a.m., and every Monday and Wednesday through Friday at 11:30 a.m. at the chapel. Catholic Reconciliation is by appointment, Saturdays at 4:30 p.m. and Sundays at 8 a.m. R.C.I.A. is Wednesdays at 7 p.m. in the chapel conference room.

### Protestant services

General Protestant worship service is Sundays at 11 a.m. and the contemporary praise and worship service is Sundays at 6

p.m. Both services are conducted in the chapel.

### Gospel

Gospel services are Sundays at 1 p.m. and the inspirational praise and worship service is Fridays at 7:30 p.m. at the chapel.

### Sonlight Inn hours

The Sonlight Inn is open every Sunday through Thursday from 6 to 10 p.m. Fridays from 6 p.m. to midnight, and Saturdays from 6:30 a.m. to midnight.

### Sunday School and Bible studies

The chapel hosts several schools and Bible study groups at the Sonlight Inn. Call the chapel for more information at 782-4300.

## FREE CLASSIFIEDS

*To submit an item for Free Classifieds, send an e-mail to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil with "classifieds" in the subject block. All submissions must contain member's rank, name and phone number and must originate from the member's e-mail account. No "personal" ads will be accepted. Deadline for submissions is noon Friday a week prior to desired printing. For more information, call 782-4705.*

### For Sale

**Video card:** ATI All-in-Wonder 7500 Video Card w/TV Tuner, PC Remote, Original CD and documents. Great for watching TV on a PC and capturing video for DVDs. Capture video or pictures directly from TV, VCR or Camcorder. \$70. Call Tech. Sgt. Bob Delloma 782-0423.

### Volunteer Opportunities

**American Red Cross** Anyone interested in volunteering for the American Red Cross should call 782-4601 for more information.

**Non-Hospital Volunteer Opportunities** The family support center offers many volunteer opportunities, both on and off base. If interested in volunteering, call the FSC at 782-3772.

## Wolf Pack Wheels

### Monday through Thursday

Departs Kunsan at 7:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. and departs Osan at noon and 6 p.m.

### Friday

Departs Kunsan at 7:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. and departs Osan at noon and 10 p.m.

### Saturday

Departs Kunsan at 7:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. and departs Osan at noon and 4 p.m.

### Sunday

Departs Kunsan at 7:30 a.m. and noon and departs Osan at noon and 5 p.m.

Tickets are \$12.50 for general Wolf Pack members or \$11.50 for special consideration of airman morale one way, and \$25 or \$23 round trip.



## Varsity softball squads swinging into action

By Master Sgt. Randy Phelps  
8th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

Softball at Kunsan is “swinging” into full gear and the men’s and women’s varsity teams have formed and already started competing for a run at a peninsula championship. Men’s coach, Mike Rosser, and women’s coach, Andy Herren, both have high expectations for this year’s squads.

On the men’s side, the skill level of the players range from All Air Force to kids fresh out of high school baseball, said Coach Rosser.

“There’s some tremendous potential, they just have to learn how to harness it,” he said. “We’re kind of showing them how this game is played . . . how to make the transition from playing baseball to playing softball.”

The biggest priority for the men’s team is to increase the level of continuity in hitting from top to bottom in their lineup, the coach said. The goal he’s set for the team is to hit at least .600 for the season.

That’s a pretty lofty expectation from the coach, but it’s not the only goal he’s set for the team. Domination of the Korea-wide league is another. To do that, the team will have to beat down our Air Force neighbors to the north.

“Osan is our biggest threat,” Rosser said. “They



Lynn Moore, second baseman, fields a ground ball during women’s varsity softball practice May 4.

got a lot of big guys and a lot of people to choose from.”

Osan’s women don’t seem to even show up on the radar as far as Tami Jo Schultz, Kunsan’s first baseman, is concerned. She believes Camp Casey and another team from Area 4 will bring the toughest competition.

The Kunsan women’s team has a couple of people returning from last year’s group and is also pretty strong, said Coach Herren.

One team member has experience on the Air Force team and the rest have played some form of organized softball in the past. During practices, Herren has placed

emphasis on base running and being smart on the field.

“We’re trying to find their natural positions and finding pitchers,” said Coach Herren. “Our hitting needs a little bit of fine tuning, and we’re looking for some overall continuity of the team members.”

Any time you put a group together to begin shaping a team there’s some rough times, said Schultz.

“In the beginning there was some grief,” she said. “There was some headbanging’ and stuff, but this past weekend it all came together.”

The two teams have

already played games in a tournament at Yongsan and this past weekend here against Camp Humphreys. The women’s team got blown out of the tournament at Yongsan, but snapped back to take two games from Humphreys Saturday.

The men fared better in the beginning of the season and continued their pace by blasting Humphreys in two straight games also. The Sunday games were canceled due to weather.

The next time the two teams take the field will be in a major tournament held at Yongsan over the Memorial Day weekend.

## How Can Physical Activity Become a Way of Life?

### How do I start?

- ◆ Choose activities you enjoy
- ◆ Wear comfortable clothes and shoes
- ◆ Start slowly — don’t overdo it
- ◆ Try to exercise at the same time so it becomes a regular part of your lifestyle
- ◆ Drink lots of water before, during and after each exercise session
- ◆ Ask a friend to start a program with you — use the buddy system
- ◆ If you miss a day, plan a make-up day — don’t double your exercise time during your next session

## What will keep me going?

- ◆ Get your family into physical activity
- ◆ Join an exercise group
- ◆ Choose an activity you like and make sure it’s convenient for you
- ◆ Learn a new sport you think you might enjoy, or take lessons to improve at one you know
- ◆ Use variety to keep your interest up — walk one day, take a swim the next, then go for a bike ride on the weekend
- ◆ Make exercise a regular routine so it becomes a habit you do automatically
- ◆ If you stop for any length of time, don’t lose hope — just get started again

## What else should I know?

- ◆ Try not to compare yourself with others — your goal is personal
- ◆ If you feel like quitting, remind yourself of all the reasons you started
- ◆ Don’t push yourself too hard — you should be able to talk during exercise

*Provided by the American Heart Association*

(Right) Leilani Hilton, third baseman, takes batting practice. (Far right) Tami Jo Schultz, first baseman, throws to home plate during women’s varsity softball practice.



## SPORTS SHORTS

### Wolf’s going-away golf tourney

The 8th annual Wolf’s going-away Wolf Pack golf tournament will be held May 22 starting at 8 a.m. at the Westwinds Golf Course. The cost is \$15 per person and includes green fees. It will be a four-person scramble with a shotgun start. Each team can buy up to four mulligans for \$1 each, and up to five feet of string at \$2 per foot, to be used once to move the ball up to the length of the string.

### Varsity Soccer

The varsity soccer team is looking for players. Those interested should call Master Sgt. Timothy Fearney at 782-3870, or e-mail him at [timothy.fearney@kunsan.af.mil](mailto:timothy.fearney@kunsan.af.mil).

[timothy.fearney@kunsan.af.mil](mailto:timothy.fearney@kunsan.af.mil). Practice is held every Tuesday and Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the base soccer field adjacent to the fitness center.

### Aerobics classes

The fitness center offers aerobics classes every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6:15 a.m. For more information on these classes, call the fitness center at 782-4026.

### Sunday spin class

The fitness center offers spin class Sundays at 4 p.m. in the fitness center annex.

### Spinning instructors needed

The fitness center needs spin class instructors. The 8th Services Squadron will pay certified instructors. For more information, call 782-4026.

### Kickboxing aerobics

The fitness center offers aerobic kickboxing classes every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 5 p.m. at the fitness center. For more information, call 782-4026.

### Lifeguards needed

The 8th Services Squadron is looking for lifeguards for the upcoming 2004 swim season. Contact the fitness center at 782-4026 for more information.

### Bench-press club

Weight lifters are invited to join the bench-press club. See a fitness center staff member for details or to sign up.

*To submit a sports shorts e-mail [wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil](mailto:wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil)*

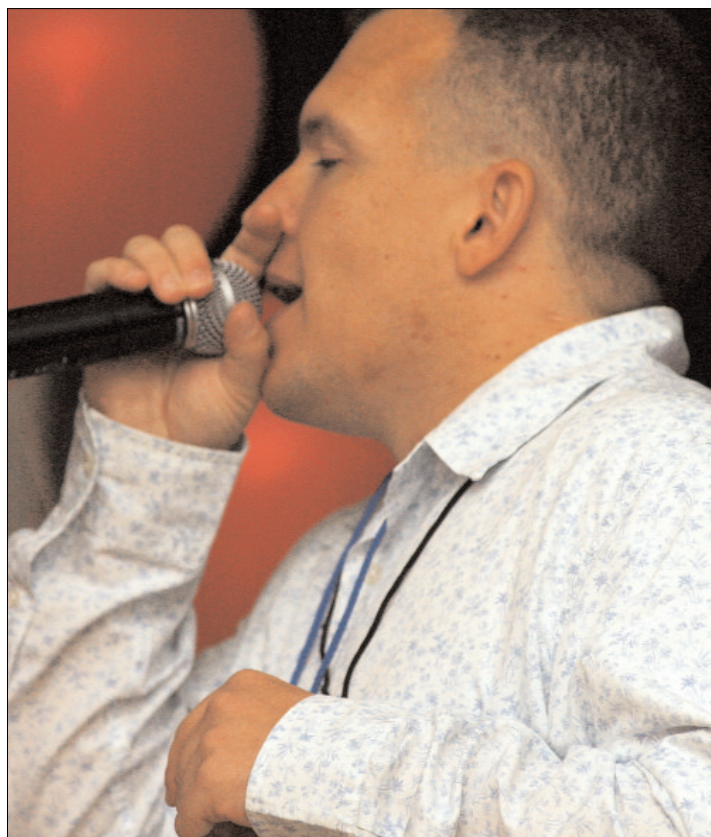




Photos by Staff Sgt. Michael Holzworth

Airman 1st Class Lee Davis, 8th Civil Engineer Squadron, belts out the Hootie and the Blowfish tune "Time" May 7 at the Loring Club in the "Sing like Hootie" contest. Airman Davis is a finalist and will be performing again Saturday. The contest is one event used to help set the tone for the concert May 17 in Hangar 3. The winner of the "Sing like Hootie" contest gets a backstage pass and a chance to hang out with Hootie and the gang. Finals for the "Sing like Hootie" contest will be held tonight at 8 p.m. in the Falcon Community Center. In conjunction with Airman appreciation night which begins at 7 p.m. Other finalists include: Staff Sgt. Robert Warder, 8th CES, Tech. Sgt. Benjamin Merrill, 8th Logistics Readiness Squadron, Master Sgt. Timothy Talbot, 8th Mission Support Squadron, Airman Nathaniel Dennis, 8th LRS, and Private 1st Class J.C. Caudill, 1/43rd Air Defense Artillery Foxtrot Battery.

## Win the "Sing like Hootie" contest and go back stage with the band



**(Above)** Airman Dennis gets down and funky with the Hootie and the Blowfish tune "Let Her Cry." **(Right)** Tech. Sgt. Kenneth Hill, 8th Mission Support Squadron, croons his version of "Time" for the assembled audience at the Loring Club.